



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 09812.0571-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Toshio INADATE) Group Art Unit: 2134
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Application No.: 09/575,864) Examiner: Tran, T.
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Filed: May 19, 2000) Confirmation No.: 1674
)
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)
APPARATUS AND METHOD,)
AND RECORDING MEDIUM ON)
WHICH A PROGRAM FOR)
EXECUTING THE INFORMATION)
PROCESSING IS RECORDED)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

Applicants file this Amendment concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination following a Final Office Action mailed April 5, 2006, a Request for Reconsideration mailed May 16, 2006, and an Advisory Action mailed June 7, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.